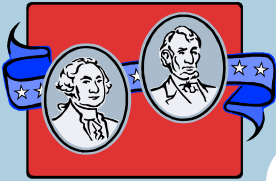


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- City Offices will be closed on Monday, February 21st in observance of President's Day.
- President's Day, the 3rd Monday in February, was established by the Unified Holidays Bill of 1971 to celebrate all the president's.
- Prior to creation of President's Day, some states celebrated Lincoln's birthday, some Washington's, some both.

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FEBRUARY 18, 2011

12th Street Water Line

This week the Water and Sewer Division began a water line project along 12th Street beginning at Poplar Street and continuing west to Zschokke Street.

A 10" water line has already been laid in the area, but the residents along 12th Street are still being serviced from an old 2" main. The crews will begin in the 1500 block of 12th Street, and working a block at a time, tie in the individual service lines.

All residents in the area were notified earlier in the month of the work. Parking will be restricted in the work area during the daytime hours. Customers may experience some discolored water, but this should clear after allowing the water to

run for a short period of time, if it does not please call us so we can check.

It is hoped that once all the service lines have been connected to the 10" main, customers will experience better

water pressure. The Water & Sewer Department hopes that by eliminating the old 2" main there will be fewer water main breaks in the area, which will provide more consistent service and better water quality.



Warmer weather this week allowed crews to get started to tie in service connections to the 10" main on 12th Street.

Sorry We Missed Your Call



While we are only in the office to answer your calls Monday—Friday, from 8:00am—4:30pm, we are always on call to respond to emergencies.

If you have a water line break or a sewer backing up on a Saturday night or a holiday Monday, you do not need to wait until we

return to the office to give us a call. Each division of the Public Works Department has an employee who is on call. In the event of an after hours emergency please call the Highland Police Department at 654-2131 and they will get in touch with the on-call employee.

That employee will respond in a timely manner, assess the situation, and take steps to resolve the problem.

If you feel you have an emergency that can not wait for the office to open, please don't hesitate to call.